इलेक्ट्रानिक्स इकाइयां स्थापित करने के लिए विदेशी कंपनियों को अनुमति

*197. **श्रीमती वीणा वर्मा :**

श्री राम चन्द्र विकल :

क्या **प्रधान मंत्री** यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) गत तीन वर्षों के दौरान इलेक्ट्रानिक साफ्टवेयर का निर्यात बढ़ाने हेतु सरकार ने कितनी विदेशी कंपनियों को अपनी इलेक्ट्रानिक इकाइयां स्थापित करने की मंजूरी दी है; और

(ख) इन एककों से निर्यात कब तक शुरू होगा?

विज्ञान और प्रौद्योगिकी मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री तथा महासागर विकास, परमाणु ऊर्जा इलेक्ट्रानिकी और अन्तरिक्ष विभागों में राज्य मंत्री (श्री के. आर. नारायणन्) : (क) और (ख) पिछले तीन वर्षों में साफ्टवेयर नीति के अन्तर्गत उपग्रह संपर्क के जरिए तीन विदेशी कम्पनियों को साफ्टवेयर निर्यात इकाइयों की स्थापना करने की अनुमति दी गई है। इनमें से एक कम्पनी ने पहले से निर्यात शुरू कर दिया है।

पिछले तीन वर्षों के दौरान 100 प्रतिशत निर्यात उन्मुख इकाई (ई ओ यू) योजना तथा विभिन्न निर्यात संसाधन क्षेत्रों के अन्तर्गत जिन 17 कंपनियों के पास कम्प्यूटर साफ्टवेयर का विनिर्माण करने के लिए 40 प्रतिशत से अधिक विदेशी साम्या पूंजी की सहभागिता है, उन्हें अनुमोदन प्रदान किया गया है। इनमें से अधिकांश इकाइयां इन पर कार्यवाई कर रही है जो विभिन्न चरणों में है।

Central Assistance for Drilling Rigs

*198. SHRI HARVENDRA SINGH HANSPAL : Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Central Government have recently given assistance to some of the State Governments to acquire drilling rigs and other equipment to develop underground water resources quickly;

(b) if so, the details of the allocations made to the State Governments for this purpose, State-wise during the last one year; and

(c) whether the State Governments have fully utilised the funds, and if so, the results achieved so far?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES AND THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI RAM NIWAS MIRDHA) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c) A Statement on the assistance released by the Ministry of Water Resources is laid on the Table of the House. (*See below*).

The assistance released is utilised for investigation and exploitation of ground water for minor irrigation.

Statement

Central Assistance released under the Centrally Sponsored Schemes for strengthening ground water and surface water (MI) organisations for investigation and exploitation of Ground Water Resources for Minor Irrigation during 1986-87

Sl. No.	Name of State	Amount of Central assistance released during 1986-87 (Rs. in lakhs)	Amount of Central assistance utilised	Remarks
1	2	3	4	
1.	Andhra Pradesh	49·845	10·535	
2.	Assam	54·375	53·335	
3.	Bihar	20·500	—	Utilisation certificate awaited from State Government.
4.	Gujarat	28·610	Nil.	

1	2	3	4	
5.	Haryana	0·360	0·360	
6.	Jammu & Kashmir	19·000	19·000	
7.	Karnataka	13·825	3·325	
8.	Kerala	13·745	13·745	
9.	Maharashtra	33·950	33·950	
10.	Mizoram	20·000	20·000	
11.	Nagaland	48·765	48·320	
12.	Orissa	24·250	—	Utilisation certificate awaited from State Government.
13.	Tamil Nadu	28·830	4·480	
14.	Uttar Pradesh	60·000	12·910	
	TOTAL	416·055	219·960	

Indian Capability to develop Super Computer

*199. SHRI GURDAS DAS GUPTA : SHRI CHATURANAN MISHRA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the views recently expressed by the Chairman of the Centre for Development Telematics (C-DOT) Dr. Sam G. Pitroda that India had the capability to develop a super-computer on its own; and

(b) if so, what are the details in this regard and what is Government's reaction thereto ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF OCEAN DEVELOPMENT, ATOMIC ENERGY, ELECTRONICS AND SPACE (SHRI K. R. NARAYANAN) : (a) Yes Sir.

(b) India has capability to develop parallel processing systems. These systems will provide computing capabilities equivalent to that of lower range super computers. The Government has initiated action to set up a Centre for Development of Advanced Computing Technology (C-DACT) for research and development work in this area. Tata Institute of Fundamental Research (TIFR)/C-DOT are also proposing to develop a parallel processing computer for special applications.

World Bank Grant for Irrigation Projects in Orissa

*200. SHRI BASUDEB MOHAPATRA : Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state :

(a) the criteria laid down for approval of irrigation projects by the Central Water Commission; and

(b) the names of the irrigation projects in Orissa which have received grants from the World Bank and the amount of grants received, project-wise during the last three years ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES AND THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI RAM NIWAS MIRDHA) : (a) The criteria laid down for recommending a project by the Central Water Commission for clearance by the Planning Commission broadly require that it should be technically feasible, economically viable and free from unresolved inter-State aspects.